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Applicants : Arturo Contini et al.

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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time to response to the Office Action mailed May 21, 2003 for one (1) month from August 21, 2003 to September 21, 2003.

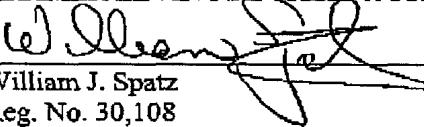
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